REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUDGET

Voting Members:
Joey Manahan, Chair; Brandon Elefante, Vice-Chair;
Ron Menor, Kymberly Marcos Pine, Tommy Waters

Committee Meeting Held
July 15, 2020

Honorable Ikaika Anderson
Chair, City Council
City and County of Honolulu

Mr. Chair:

Your Committee on Budget, to which was referred Resolution 20-160 entitled:

"RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LIQUOR COMMISSION TO ADOPT RULES OR INTERPRET EXISTING LAWS, RULES, AND ORDERS TO ENSURE THAT LICENSED BARS FOLLOW COVID-19 RELATED REGULATIONS AND PROTOCOLS,"

reports as follows:

The purpose of the resolution is to request that the Liquor Commission adopt rules or interpret existing laws, rules, and orders to ensure that licensed bars follow COVID-19-related regulations and protocols, and coordinate with the Mayor and the Honolulu Police Department, the Commission's monitoring of licensed bars to ensure their compliance with COVID-19-related requirements.

The Chief Liquor Control Investigator testified in support of the resolution and provided a brief explanation of the Liquor Commission's rules and protocols.

No remote or in-person testimony was received on the resolution. Written testimony in opposition to the resolution was received from the Broken Boundary Brewery, Honolulu Beerworks, Maui Brewing Co., Olomana Brewing Co., Waikiki Brewing Company, and four individuals. Written comments were received from the Hawaiian Craft Brewers Guild and one individual.

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Your Committee on Budget is in accord with the intent and purpose of Resolution 20-160 and recommends its adoption. (Ayes: Elefante, Manahan, Menor, Waters – 4; Noes: None; Excused: Pine – 1.)

Respectfully submitted,

Committee Chair

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